Textile Exports

1802. SHRIMATI VANGA GEETHA: Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) the amount of textile exports during the last three years; year-wise, details thereof;

(b) the target envisaged during the year 2001-2002; and

(c) the future of textile industry in export market?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI V. DHANANJAY KUMAR): (a) The value of textile exports from the country during the last three years are given below:—

Year	Value (in US$ Million)
1998-99	9548.2
1999-2000	10508.5
2000-2001	12097.4

SOURCE: DGCI&S, Kolkata

(b) In view of the current international trade environment, the textile exports during 2001-2002 are targeted to reach a level of USS 12,100 million.

(c) The exports of textiles (including handicrafts, jute, and coir) account for about 27 per cent of total exports from India. The National Textile Policy (NTXP-2000) aims to increase textile exports to USS 50 billion by year 2010.

Revival Package for NTC Textile Mills

1803. SHRI K. RAHMAN KHAN: Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have decided to give a package of Rs. 340 crore to upliftailing NTC textile mills;

(b) if so, how many textile mills of Karnataka are likely to be benefited under this package;

(c) whether any package will be announced to uplift private textile mills also; and